



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Star et al.

Art Unit: 1641

Application No. 09/881,446

Filed: June 13, 2001

For: RAPID FLUORESCENT LABELING OF
TISSUE FOR MICRODISSECTION
USING FLUORESCENT SPECIFIC
BINDING AGENTS

Examiner: Gary W. Counts

Date: November 22, 2002

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Enclosed is an Amendment and Response to Paper No. 6 for the above application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

For	No. after amendment	No. paid for previously	Present Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	34	- 37*	= 0	\$18.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	1	5**	= 0	\$84.00	\$0.00
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$280.00	\$0.00
One-month Extension of Time				\$110.00	\$110.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$110.00

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- ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time for the number of months indicated above. If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with filing this amendment and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

- ☒ A Marked-up Version of Amended Claims Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121(b)-(c) is attached.
- ☒ Please return the enclosed postcard to confirm that the items listed above have been received.

Respectfully submitted,

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